

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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This application is a division of U.S. Serial No. 09/136,982 filed August 20, 1998 which is a division of U. S. Serial No. 09/119,344 filed July 20, 1998 now U.S. Patent No. 6,113,607, which is a division of U.S. Serial No. 08/630,528 filed April 10, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,782,855, which is a division of U.S. Serial No. 08/085,959 filed July 6, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 5,507,768 , which is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Serial No. 07/647,464 filed on January 28, 1991, now abandoned.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 47-55, 56, 69-79 without prejudice.

Please enter the following amended claim, and substitute the amended claim as

follows:

40. (Amended) The assembly of claim 30<sup>9</sup>, wherein the catheter has an inflation passageway.